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HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

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A HOUSE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign to the appropriate study committee the topic of cybersecurity and the feasibility of adding cybersecurity to the commercial code for the purposes of liability insurance.

Whereas, Cyberspace and its underlying infrastructure are vulnerable to a wide range of risks from both physical and cyber threats;

Whereas, Sophisticated cyber actors and nations exploit vulnerabilities to steal information and money and are developing capabilities to disrupt, destroy, or threaten the delivery of essential services;

Whereas, A range of traditional crimes is now being

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perpetrated through cyberspace, including banking and financial fraud, intellectual property violations, and other crimes, all of which have substantial human and economic consequences;

Whereas, Cyberspace is particularly difficult to secure due to a number of factors, including the ability of malicious actors to operate from anywhere in the world, the linkages between cyberspace and physical systems, and the difficulty of reducing vulnerabilities and consequences in complex cyber networks; and

Whereas, In light of the risk and potential consequences of cyber events, strengthening the security and resilience of cyberspace has become an important homeland security mission: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to assign to the
- 2 appropriate study committee the topic of cybersecurity and the
- 3 feasibility of adding cybersecurity to the commercial code for the
- 4 purposes of liability insurance.

